

LOCAL NEWS.

CHARITY CONCERT.—Seldom has it been our good fortune to witness a more enjoyable amateur entertainment than the one presented last night at Sappia Hall, and the appreciative laughter and cheering applause of the well-placed audience, testified to the merit of the fifteen gentlemen comprising the "Minister Troupe," and the talents they exhibited reflected credit on themselves, and would have done no discredit to many claiming to be professionals in "Ethiopian Minstrelsy." The burlesques were acted with mirth provoking energy. The ballads were rendered in taste, and received several deserved encores. The comic songs, of course, were received with pleasure, and the instrumental portion was accounted fine. In the entertainment some things were susceptible of improvement; for instance: in the rendition of the touching melody, "Old Black Joe," if a more trembling vibratory intonation was given, so as to more closely assimilate the feeble voice of old age, the effect would be better; and if the chorus was modulated to resemble "gentle voices" at a distance, the entire thing would be rendered much more impressive than when given in a fortissimo manner. Owing to want of space we are unable to give mention of all the participants, and where all parts were so handsomely executed, it would seem, perhaps, invidious to mention one, without naming all, but yet we are constrained to say that Mr. Henry Simpson's "Peregrina Ross" was the crowning piece of the programme. Whilst, of course it was a burlesque, yet in the rendition of some very difficult pieces Mr. S. exhibited a flexibility of voice and displayed a gift of vocalizing of which he should be proud. We are pleased to announce that those under whose auspices the affair was arranged have decided to have a repetition upon Wednesday, the 28th. We would urge all who can to attend, not only to spend an evening of pleasure, but to assist in the noble cause, for which it will be given, viz: the amelioration of humanity's sufferings.

RIVER NEWS.—The ice blockade which commenced last Friday was broken this morning and even sailing vessels were arriving and departing freely to-day. The Washington ferry boat City of Washington has made all her regular trips to-day, and the City of Alexandria would have done likewise had she not been taken off her line for the purpose of having a piece of her machinery repaired. As it is she will not be able to resume her trips before the first of next week. The steamer Lady of the Lake arrived here this morning to lay up for repairs, but the wharf accommodations not being sufficient she returned to Washington and will have the few necessary repairs to her, to complete which will not require more than two weeks, done there. The Maryland ferry was repaired this morning by a row boat, the low tide prevailing and the ice on the opposite flats making it still impossible for the steamer Virginia to run. Communication with the river at the western terminus of the East Alexandria Railroad, on the opposite side of the pier, who live in this city, were enabled to go to work again by means of row boats. Three oyster boats arrived up yesterday afternoon and attempted to reach Washington in tow of the tugboat Mary Lewis, but met with such difficulty off Giesboro', where the ice was packed, that they had to be towed back to this city. They started again this morning and reached their destination without any difficulty. The stern wheel steamer Prince William started down the river to-day, and the tug Susan Molineaux went down to look for a tow. The steamer Palisade sailed this afternoon for Point Lookout with stores for the railroad hands employed there. When she returns she will take the place, temporarily, of the Arrow, on the Mount Vernon line.

SUN FIRE COMPANY.—At the ninety-ninth annual meeting of the Sun Fire Company, held at their hall last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Hugh Latham; 1st Vice President, John Sullivan; 2d, Samuel Blumhine; Secretary, John H. Kleindienst; Treasurer, Thomas Hall; 1st Commander of Engine, John W. Travis; 2d, Robert Williams; Pipefitter, Hiram Webster; 1st Assistant, George Porter; 2d, A. Sullivan. A committee of three, Hugh Latham, John Sullivan and John Travis, Jr., were appointed to confer with the committees from the other fire companies to consider the expediency of a parade on the 22d of February. The meeting then adjourned.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE WASHINGTON HARBOUR.—In the House of Representatives, yesterday, Mr. Chipman introduced two bills which were referred to the Committee on Commerce, which direct the Secretary of War to improve the harbor of Washington, provided: That the portion of said improvement to be first commenced shall be the closing of the present eastern channel of the Potomac river, between Eastly's point and the line of the Anacostia channel; the filling of the flats between the main channel and the north shore of the river; and the excavation, to the depth of twenty-three feet at mean low water of said main channel, between the above points.

POLICE REPORT.—The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yesterday's issue of the Gazette: Rheinhardt Brodenstein, for disorderly conduct, was fined and discharged. James Wiedner, colored, for disorderly conduct, breaking the show buckets in front of George Sexton's grocery store on King street, and destroying the furniture in the station house and resisting police officers, was sent to jail for thirty days, during which time he will work with the chain gang.

There was but one lodger at the station house last night.

C. & O. CANAL.—Letters from Cumberland continue to complain of the dilatoriness of the managers of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal in prosecuting the necessary repairs to that important adjunct to Alexandria's prosperity. The sand bars have been removed from, and the lockgates repaired in, the Cumberland Division, but with those exceptions the work yet done amounts to nothing. The material for the new aqueducts at Seneca and Hancock has been collected at those places, and the work of building the former was to have commenced yesterday. The company is also building a new steam dredge.

THE CHAIN GANG.—The chain gang numbering nine—three from the jail and six from the work house—were out this morning cleaning the ice from the gutters on King street. As only one had a pick axe, seven rested on their brooms and shovels and looked at him while he leisurely handled it, the remaining one employing his time in breaking the clasp which bound the ball and chain to his leg, but being detected just as he had succeeded, was marched off to a blacksmith's shop and re-troned.

TAXES.—Mr. V. P. Corbett, County Treasurer, will be at the Custom House on Friday, the 30th inst., to receive any money that may be tendered by delinquent tax-payers upon lands that will otherwise be sold on the succeeding Monday, February 2. As this will be the last opportunity afforded, all who are in arrears had better take advantage.

One of the large blood-hounds belonging to Mr. Porter was accidentally locked in the counting-room of that gentleman's brewery, a night or two ago, and alarmed the whole neighborhood by the noise he made in effecting his exit by breaking through the window, carrying away sash, blind and all.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

FROM WASHINGTON.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, January 20, 1874.

In the Senate, to-day, a memorial was presented in favor of a national double street track railroad from New York to the West. This called up Mr. Oglesby, of Ill., in favor of the proposed road.

Mr. Boggs, of Mo., followed in favor of cheap transportation by water, declaring that the handling alone on land routes eats up the value of the proposed road.

Mr. Morton introduced a resolution referring the Pinchback contested election case of Louisiana to the Committee on Elections with power to send for persons and papers. It was deferred until Monday.

Mr. Clayton, of Ark., called up and spoke in favor of a free railroad law without regard to State lines or authority.

After the introduction of some further bills the subject of the financial policy was taken up and the clerk was about to read a speech of Mr. Brownlow, of Tennessee, on the subject, when the Senate went into executive session. The House of Representatives was engaged in the discussion of a proposed rule requiring that all resolutions, &c., introduced, shall be referred to a committee before a vote upon them shall be required.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

Mrs. Francis Miller, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Lockwood, Miss Cozzens and others appeared before the Committee on the Judiciary and made arguments in favor of striking out the word male from the organic law of the District of Columbia.

The Chief Justice.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—All the papers this morning have more or less to say about the President's latest nomination for Chief Justice. From the Sun:—"Mr. Waite is well spoken of by those who are acquainted with him, but the fact that he is not generally known to the country will render his nomination for Chief Justice less satisfactory than it might be otherwise."

From the World:—"If President Grant's third selection for Chief Justice had happened to be his first, the appointment of Mr. Waite would have been received with wonder by the country and disappointment and regret by that portion of the bar who ever had any practice in the Supreme Court. 'We have,' it says, 'no doubt that Mr. Waite possesses some very good negative qualities, but comes to the conclusion the eight Associate Justices can decide every case as ably without Mr. Waite as with him, and the Senate would serve the country by keeping the Chief Justice vacant until we get a President who has some appreciation of the qualification requisite for that great station.'"

From the Tribune:—"Of course Mr. Waite is not the best man who could be named for the place, but there is no good reason why he should not be promptly confirmed. To that great mass of serious people who believe in the principles for which we went to war and who regard it as the duty of the National legislature to fortify and defend those principles by statute, and the duty of the judiciary to take care that they receive no detriment through hostile construction of the law or the constitution, the correct political antecedents of Mr. Waite will seem far more important than all the learning and brilliant abilities of Gen. Cushing."

From the Times:—"The nomination of Judge Waite to the post of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is a thoroughly respectable one and will probably meet with little opposition. He is a man of very high moral character, of recognized ability, and of quite sufficient standing in his profession to justify the belief that he will make a good Chief Justice. In nominating Mr. Waite the President has shown an earnest desire to discharge a very difficult duty in a conscientious manner, and without reference to party or private wishes of any clique in Washington or elsewhere."

Fires.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Two large fires occurred here to-day. Loss \$200,000. Both are out now.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Between three and four o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the Union Central depot building occupied by the Michigan Central, Illinois Central and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroads, and in a short time made such progress as to destroy the Fire Department. The building was entirely consumed. The baggage in the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy baggage room was nearly all lost; only a few pieces being saved and taken to the freight depot across the street.

The baggage in the other room at the south end of the depot was saved; the fire being put out before it reached that far. Some of the baggage, however, had been already removed to a place of safety. Nothing was saved from any of the offices connected with the depot, all being swallowed up in the common destruction. The tracks were crowded with cars, and most of them were saved, but the men were unable to remove a number of fine passenger cars. The Michigan Central railroad company lost three passenger coaches and two Pullman sleeping cars, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad company lost three coaches, including one Pullman sleeping car and the Illinois Central company lost four coaches, partially burned. The Cincinnati Air Line lost one coach. The losses are estimated between \$300,000 and \$400,000; the amount of insurance is unknown. The depot was a frame building put up after the great fire for temporary purposes.

Death of the Siamese Twins.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A dispatch from Richmond says a dispatch from Greensboro' North Carolina gives the announcement of the sudden death of the Siamese Twins on Saturday morning last at their residence at Mount Airy, Surrey county, North Carolina. There are no details further than the fact that Chang was paralyzed last fall since which time he has been afflicted, very much debilitated and strongly addicted to drinking liquor as a means of alleviating his suffering. He had been quite feeble for several days, indeed so much so as to confine both brothers to their bed, but his illness was not so great as to cause anticipation of the catastrophe that was to follow. On Friday night they retired to bed as usual, but during the night Chang became worse and expired suddenly about four o'clock Saturday morning. As soon as it was discovered he was dead Eng became so terribly shocked that he raved wildly and for a while, at times, exhibited signs of great mental aberration. This attack was followed by what seemed to be a deadly stupor. In two hours it is supposed from the death of Chang, Eng breathed his last.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A contradiction is given to the report that Lowe, Secretary of State for the Home Department would retire from the Cabinet in consequence of disagreement with Gladstone in relation to the appointment of Sheriff of Lanarkshire Scotland.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—Mr. Washburne, American Minister, yesterday, on behalf of the French residents of Philadelphia, presented ex-President Thiers with a gold medal. In the speech on the occasion Mr. Washburne alluded in terms of warm praise to the friendship shown by France to the United States during the American revolution. He also eulogized the French people who have taken up their residence in the United States. Thiers feelingly replied. After expressing his thanks to his countrymen in the United States for their repeated manifestations of confidence in him, he declared that a republic was the only government possible in France; consequently the band of friendship between the two nations would be strengthened.

New Jersey Legislature.
TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 20.—The Senate passed a resolution giving each member of the Legislature twenty-five dollars worth of postage stamps. A resolution extending this perquisite to reporters was voted down after a savage attack on the press by Jarrard and Sewall.

A resolution was adopted favoring the passage of the bill before Congress making an appropriation for armories and equipping the militia of the U. S., and a permanent appropriation of \$1000,000 annually for the same purpose.

Gale.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—A heavy gale prevailed around the British coast yesterday.

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20, 11 a. m.
For the Middle States, slight cloudiness during the day with but slight changes of temperature, followed by winds veering to easterly and threatening weather. For the South Atlantic States, slightly rising temperature with light variable winds and fogs on the coasts, probably followed by light rain during the night.

The Markets.

NEW YORK, January 20.—Stocks active and strong. Money 6. Gold 112. Flour dull and quiet. Wheat quiet and declining. Corn a shade firmer.

BALTIMORE, January 20.—Virginia fixes, consolidated, 52; West Virginia 10. Cotton firmer; low middlings 15 1/2. Flour quiet and steady; prices unchanged. Wheat quiet; Pennsylvania 18 1/2; Ohio and Indiana 16 1/2. Corn—white Southern dull at 55 1/2; yellow do. firm at 55; mixed Western firm at 55 1/2. Oats—Southern 50 1/2; Western 50 1/2. Rye firm at 100 1/2. Hay unchanged.

In view of the card of Dr. Johnson, published in yesterday evening's papers, and being the only witness in the encounter between Captain Fowle and Dr. Johnson, I beg now, amid conflicting rumors, to state the case as it actually happened: Fully concurring in the views of Captain Fowle, I readily consented to go with him as his friend, but strongly urged him to find some friend of Dr. Johnson's to accompany us. Captain Fowle tried to find a friend that stood in that light to his opponent, but could not. Arriving at his office, the door was opened in person by the Doctor, who saluted Captain Fowle, and being introduced to me, motioned us to take seats. I sat down as did the others. I did not perfectly hear the conversation that ensued, but in a few moments the fracas began. Both men rose and faced each other, and I getting up, moved my chair out of the way. Then ensued as pretty an exhibition of strength versus science, as I ever witnessed. Dr. Johnson struck out blindly and at random, but three or four blows, straight from the shoulder, brought him in a sitting position on the floor, when my friend, bending over him, and getting his head in chancery, was in the parlance of the prize, pegging away lively, and with great satisfaction to himself and to the utter dismay of the Doctor, who reeled on the floor perfectly defenceless from the blinding blows rained upon his face. Looking up at me, the Doctor said, "Take him off. Simply this and nothing more. At my request Captain Fowle stayed his hand, while the Doctor, glad, doubtless, of relief, rose and without waiting to thank me for my kindly intercession, rushed to a mighty curse into the next room to get some deadly weapon, as I thought, for had he not failed in the combat, man to man, I looked to see a double-barrel, but lo! a stick, compared to which a policeman's club was a plaything, and a shillelah a toy, and thus armed, rushed to Captain Fowle, who stood with folded arms near the door, and struck at him a vicious blow, which I caught on my arm, and yet another, which Captain F. caught in the same manner. Then the tirade son of medicine, ungrateful man, turned on me and struck several blows, which I easily waved off and motioned Captain Fowle away, who had caught the stick and held it in a firm grasp, and was preparing to wade in anew. I refrained from striking the worthy M. D., simply because I did not want him to say that he was attacked by two, though a brave man could have cleared the room of a dozen unarmed men with such a bludgeon. The Doctor, gifted with that instinct which made honest old Jack Falstaff so famous, and who the Doctor is like in more ways than one, ceased his blows, and began to storm. I picked up the paper from the floor and leisurely taking my cigar from the table left the room, while the Doctor displayed the only bravery he is so diffuse in, by hurling forth curses, anathemas, expletives, that were appalling, by way of profanity. The curses, ah! the curses; they followed us out the door, into the street, and hurried around us like fast falling shot and bursting shell. Pardon! and remember the aggravation had not been slight, and then, too, his face hurt. * * * And so we parted, and left him to bind up his own wounds, pour in oil and wine, and recount his marvelous deeds to partial ears. In conclusion, I desire to say that neither Captain Fowle or myself, under any circumstance, be dragged into a newspaper controversy, and I merely write this as a true and faithful report of the encounter in refutation of the card of Dr. Johnson.

ALEXANDER HUNTER.
Alexandria, Va., January 20th, 1874.

Y. M. C. A.—The regular monthly meeting of this Society will be held in their room, on King street, to-night, at 7 1/2 o'clock. The members are hereby notified that there will be no blank notices delivered for this meeting; hence this notice is final.

JAN 20-1st JAS. ENTWISLE, Jr., Gen. Sec.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders in the **PIEDMONT AND POTOMAC R.R.** Will take place at the residence of Mr. Hillis, in Rosslyn, Alexandria county, Va., on WEDNESDAY, the fourth day of FEBRUARY, at 12 m.

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To close out our present stock, we have reduced the price of many styles of good dress goods. Our stock is still large, and purchasers will do well to examine our prices.

JAN 20-1st ROBT. L. WOOD.

KID GLOVES!
Have just received a full line of Kid Gloves, among which is a Glove to be sold at 1/2 pair. Each and every pair warranted. If they tear or rip they will be replaced by a new pair.

JAN 20-1st C. C. BERRY, 72 King st.

700 LBS OF CHOICE CANDY just received of the **CHINESE TEA COMPANY.**

JAN 20-1st 11 North Royal street.

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JAN 20-1st 11 North Royal street.

LOCAL BRIEFITIES.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the New Upper Potomac Steamboat Company was to have been held in Washington last night and some parties went from this city to attend it, but the chairman being absent in the North it was postponed. The committee has contracted for building their boat, and the contractor is now getting out his timber at Accotink. The first installment upon the stock subscribed for has been collected.

The funeral of the late Dr. Sparrow took place to-day, the services being performed at the chapel of the Theological Seminary, Bishops Johns and Whittle and Dr. Andrews officiating. The remains were interred in Ivy Hill cemetery and were followed to their last resting place by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Mr. J. K. Herrell, of Upperville, passed through here yesterday with one hundred and thirty-eight of as fine dressed turkeys as were ever seen in any market, which he sold in Washington for fifteen cents a pound—the price in the commission houses there being only thirteen cents.

Col. J. R. Popham, attorney-at-law in Richmond, Va., has been designated by Judge Hughes as the clerk of the U. S. Court at Richmond and Alexandria when the present incumbent, Edward Underwood, shall resign.

The sacred concert of Philip Phillips, the Singing Pilgrim, whose music is praised wherever it is heard, will be given at the Washington street Methodist Episcopal Church to-night.

The Theodore Thomas Matinee at Lincoln Hall, Washington, will be given at one o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Persons from this city who desire to attend should recollect that there is now neither a 12 o'clock nor train.

The alarm of fire this afternoon was caused by the burning of a bureau in a room in the third story of the residence of Mr. Geo. Washington, on Fairfax street. The fire caught from a gas stove that was used to heat water.

A delegation from Howard University came here this afternoon to attend the funeral of Samuel Thompson, a former student of that institution.

The departure of the Lynchburg and Harrisonburg trains were delayed until nearly nine o'clock this morning by the late arrival of the through train from the North.

Mr. Wm. Byrd, during a few hours' shooting on the Maryland flats, opposite this city, yesterday afternoon, killed one hundred and twenty-eight wild ducks—all shufflers.

The supply of oysters at the dock has been reinforced, and there is now no fear that it will be specially exhausted. The retail price is sixty cents a bushel.

Mr. Chas. S. Taylor, jr., has established a broom factory in this city from which are turned out as good as cheap, and as nice looking brooms as can be bought in the North.

Rev. Dr. Bledsoe, formerly Professor of Mathematics at the University of Virginia, was in this city to-day looking as well as he did fifteen years ago.

A young man from Fairfax got out of the street cars at the foot of King street last night, and in the darkness, walked into the dock there, and was speedily rescued.

Mr. Henry Mifflin, who slipped on the ice on the sidewalk last week and, falling, hurt himself severely, is slowly recovering.

Mr. Broadus, who was hurt by a fall yesterday, is not so well to-day.

Mr. Samuel Pulman is endeavoring to have a wire bridge erected across Cameron run.

ARMSEMENTS.
AN EVENING WITH THE POETS,

BY
J. MORTIMER KILGOUR, of Loudoun,
AT SAREPTA HALL,
ON MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 20th,
Commencing at 8 o'clock.

This Lecture was postponed from the 18th instant because of the snow storm of that evening. Tickets for sale at Lunt's, Tanner's, and Cook & Creighton's drug stores, at the City Hotel and at the door. Admission 50c. Jan 20-1st

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Washington, Jan 15-16

LOST AND FOUND.
LOST—On Saturday morning, in the Market House, fronting on Fairfax street, near Mr. Reed's stall, a CAPE, of blue cloth, which belonged to an overcoat. It had buttons by which it had been attached to the coat. A suitable reward will be given for the return of the cape. Enquire of Mr. Reed, or at the Gazette office.

JAN 19-31

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT—A comfortable HOUSE, stabling and other necessary outbuildings, and a quarter of an acre of land attached, in West End, within one minute's walk of the street railway. Apply to
J. H. WATKINS,
Jan 10

FOR RENT—A SUITE OF ROOMS with dining room and kitchen. Apply at this office.
Jan 9-11

FOR RENT—The comfortable BRICK DWELLING No. 79 Prince street. Gas and water. To a good tenant will be rented on moderate terms.
T. D. FENDALL,
Jan 8-11

FOR RENT—The comfortable DWELLING HOUSE No. 15 south Alfred st. Gas and Water. Possession given January 1, 1874. Apply to
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
dec 15-17

FOR RENT—A comfortable BRICK DWELLING on Queen street, between Washington and Columbus. Apply to C. L. POWELL, N. E. corner Duke and Washington streets.
dec 12-16

FOR RENT—HOUSE No. 60 south St. Asaph street, containing 8 rooms, will be rented to a good tenant on moderate terms.
E. FRANCIS,
dec 9-11

FOR RENT—The STORE and DWELLING HOUSE 125 King street, now occupied by Mrs. C. L. Simpson. Possession given on the 1st of January, 1874. For further information enquire of
JNO. B. SMOOT,
dec 5-11

FOR RENT—The undersigned having completed the addition to his store, corner Royal and Cameron streets, will remove thereat and offer for rent the STORE and DWELLING No. 26 north Royal street, with an unexpired lease. Possession given at once.
F. G. SWAIN,
nov 6

FOR RENT—The THREE-STORY DWELLING, No. 67 south Fairfax street. Apply at once
A. C. HARMON,
oct 16-17

TO LET—The TWO-STORY WAREHOUSE foot of Queen street, on Union st. Apply at the office of the Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.
Jan 20

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sep 23-11

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Jan 15

OYSTERS.
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sep 13

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GREEN PEAS.
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YARMOUTH SUCCOTASH.
GUMBO.
PINEAPPLE.
FRENCH PEAS.
MUSHROOMS.
SPOICED SALMON.
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JAN 19-11 C. F. LEE, Jr., Alex., Va.

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JAN 17-18 ROBT. L. WOOD.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE.—Will be sold public auction, on TUESDAY, the 27th inst., at 10 o'clock, at the Virginia House, upper end of King street, a lot of HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, including TWO FEATHER BEDS. Terms cash.